

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q68141

Andrea MANGANINI, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/050,517

Group Art Unit: 2668

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For:

METHOD FOR MANAGING MULTIPLE FAILURES OF DIFFERENT TYPE IN RING-SHAPED

TELECOMMUNICATIONS NETWORKS

EXCESS CLAIM FEE PAYMENT LETTER

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

An Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 is attached hereto for concurrent filing in the above-identified application. The resulting excess claim fee has been calculated as shown below:

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MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 16, 2005, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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